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IT IS SETTLED NOW

The Street Railway Will Go Over 28th Street Bridge.

LAST OBSTACLE REMOVED

street is recognized and the sum of \$8,000 is authorized to be paid by the railway and electric company to the city to be used in aid of the construction of such a bridge; provided, that the city would grant to the railway and electric company a franchise to cross the bridge at Twenty-eighth street when constructed in lien of the right now held and enjoyed by the railway and electric company to cross at grade.

The ordinance referred to was introduced and read to the council. It provided that in consideration of the payment to the city of Newport News the sum of \$8,000 the Newport News and Old Point Railway and Electric Company be granted the right and franchise to construct its tracks upon and use and pass over the bridge hereafter to be erected over the Chesapeake & Ohio tracks at Twenty-eighth street; that the \$8,000 shall be naid as follows: \$4,000 when the bridge is one-half completed and the remainder to be paid when the work was fully completed that the Newport News and Old Point and Electric Company shall keep in repair and good order the floors of the bridge and the approaches thereto; that the ordinance shall be in force from passage.

ORDINANCE DISCUSSED. \$200 in full of all damages to sewer pine on Thirty-Fourth street and be respongible for the connections hierarchice designed on Thirty-Fourth street.

"In consideration of the above conclusions, the Old Dominion Land Company is to sive to the city the right to lay the sewer pipe through its lands on Twenty-fifth street and under its pier at the end of Twenty-fifth, street, the city to rapair all actual damages done to said company by laying its pipe through its land and under the pier at the end of Twenty-fifth street.

"In equisideration of the said cancession tog land company siyes to the city the right to lay its pipe through the lands of the company at the end of Thirty-fourth street, said city agreeing to repair all actual damage occasioned by the laying of said olips and in consideration of the payment of said sum of \$200 he said olips and in consideration of the payment of said sum of \$200 he said olips and in consideration of the payment of said sum of \$200 he said olid damage heretofore dyne or questioned by the removal or destruction of its sewer, pipe on Thirty-fourth street.

"The said company agrees to permit the city, without charge, in make tern-

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Mr. Doberty moved a suspension of the rules and the immediate consideration of the ordinance.

Mr. Burcher advised the council to go slowly in this matter which was an important one. He did not like the looks of the clause governing uninterrupted traffic. He said that while he saw no fault with the ordinance as proposed, he thought it should be carefully scrutinized by the ordinance committee before its passage, and he

destruction of its sewer pipe on Thirty-fourth street.

"The said company agrees to permit the city, without charge, in make temporary connections with any of its sewer pipes, the city agreeins to repair all actual damage."

This report was referred to the ordinance committee with instructions to prepare an ordinance covering the committee a recommendations.

The city engineer was instructed to dispense with the sewer on Hampton avenue, between Roanoke and Chestnut syrences, and between Tweety-first street and Hampton avenue and that the same be left out of the plans, and that he so instruct Messrs. Honan & Sons. Sons. Mr. M. J. Moore, contractor for build-

SMALLPOX RUMORS

Circulating Yesterday Without Foundation.

NEGRO SICK ON THE ACRE

What Happened to Progaton.

Chief Boatwright, of Bloodfield, avested a desperate character yesterday in the person of John Progaton, a negro who has been wanted for some time for who has been wanted for some time for the person and the person are person and the person and the person are person are person and the person are person are person are person and the person are person are person are person are person are person and the person are person ar in the person of John Progaton, a negro who has been wanted for some time for a former offense against the peace and dignity of the commonwealth. He is the same man who some time ag, got away from County Officer Jeff Phillips, who was taking him in. He did the officer up and departed. Yesterday he made himself decletely disagreeable his vicinity, which is Blootheld, by beating his wife and another negro by the name of John Sampson.

When Progaton ran up against Chief Boatwright, he did not get away. That officer put the nippers on him and took him down to the office of Justice Jones, in spite of his vigorous kicks and His Honor sentenced him to pay a fine of \$5 and costs. The prisoner, upon this, became so obstreperous that the isstice was compelled to fine him an additional \$20 and costs and to send him up for six months as well, for contempt of court.

Progation, it is stated is wanted in

court.

Progation, it is stated is wanted in other parts of the states, at one place for assaulting a wnite man, and also in Lumenburg.

He is described as one of the mean-set looking negroes seen in Bloodfield for many days, and is cross-eyed.

This Man is Charged With Putting Tacks

Officer D. W. Wood yesterday arrested a man named Boswell, living on the control of the control

pear before Potice Justice Brown this morning.

The Social Bicycle Club several days ago offered a reward of \$16 for the conviction of any one caught throwing tacks around (or this purpose. It is said that this same man was one of these who were active in trying to get the city council to pass an ordinance prohibiting the riding of hicycle on the sidewalks.

The case will be heard this morning, and the defendant will be given ample opportunity to prove his innocence if he can do so. The case is one that is expected to attract considerable attention, particularly among those who ride wheels, and those who do not want them to ride upon the sidewalks.

Died of Diphtheria.

Howard, the two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Waverly Broadwell, died last night at the residence of the parents on Lafayette avenue.

WANTED—At the Virginia Cleaning and Dycing Esinblishment, S5 suits of clothes every day to be cleaned, dyed, pressed and repaired, and made to look like new. 2105 Washington syence.

It are the car line has changed hands, we learn that they will stop any where on its lines. This will cause an advance on Merrimac lots. Buy now. This property is for sale by Powell Bros. & King, 2701, Washington ave. og 27-tf.

MARIA TERESA SAFE

Report That She Encounte ed a Cyclone Discredited.

MAY ARRIVE SUNDAY

held at the hall of the Americas Chab, in the Opera House building, tonight. The W. A. Young Club met last night and made arrangements to attend in a body, and the Americas Chub will be represented practicelly the same way. It is anticipated that the crowd will be a large one, but every accommodation possible has been made for the benefit of those who attend. The principal address will be made by Hon, W. A. Young, the Democratic candidate for Congress from this district, but there will be a number of other notable speakers, among them Hon. E. E. Montague and Judge D. Tucker Brooke, of Norfolk, Remarks pertinent to the occasion and situation will be made also by several well known local men.

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GAS LAMPS FITTED.

Mr. Robert C. Bowles, of Richmond, has purchased the stock and goodwilk of the Newport News Cycle Co., (Ripper's old stand), on Twenty-seventh street, and he will continue to conduct the business on the liberal lines established by the former owners. All repair work will continue to receive the same careful attention as heretofore, and will be fully guaranteed. Mr. Bowles has been connected with the Newport News Cycle Co., for the past season and is fully competent in every branch of the bleycle business.

Thanking my former patrons for their kindness toward me, I bespeak their goodwill for the new owner.

Very respectfully,
FRED G. KIPPER, Manager.

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Holguin division. The note fur-states that General Luque will ren until the last soldier is ready to go.

RELL TELEPHONE SUBSCRIBERS. The "Old 'Phone," the Bell 'Phone, continues in the lead with the most subscribers, best service and long ubscribers, best service and long listance connection. Add these to your list pending re-cipt of new card, which is now in the winter's hands; 103—The Mecca Saloon, 22041-2 Wash-

103-The Mecca Salota, 220 C- Washington avenue, 101-B, W. Pitman, Groceries, 517 Twenty-third street, 105-Dr. W. R. Aylett, 211 Twenty-ininth street, 102-B, B. Simnes, Attorney-at-Law, 240 Twenty-fifth street, 104-E. Glidlersbeeve, Blacksmith, 193 Twenty-sighth street.

240 Fwens, 240 Gildersteeve, Biacosco, 218 194-195, Gildersteeve, Biacosco, 223 Twenty-eighth street, 218 Twenty-eighth street, 218 Twenty-eighth street, 211-195, W. Watter, Residence, 214 111-195, Seventh street, 221-14.

111-F. W. Wafter, Residence, 114 Pwenty-seventh street, 112-O. T. Martin, Attorney-at-Law, 228 Twenty-fifth street, 107-Young Men's Christian Associa-

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108-C, & O. Ry., Ticket office.
118-Warwick Wood & Coal Co.,
(Branch), 2702 Washington avenue.
127-Newport News Candy Kitchen.
2508 Washington avenue.
124-J. H. Miller & Co., Wholesale
Produce, 419-421 Twenty-eighth street.
125-Munday & Cunard, Wood & Coal,
295 Twenty-eighth street.
109-J. A. Hirshberg, Panner Clothier,
Washingtin avenue.
114-John Hayes, Groceries, 4418 Lafayette avenue.
125-C. C. Mitchell Attorney-at-Law,
2602 Washington avenue.

Put away that thin gauze undersuit together with the midgummer lassitude. Get in one of our freeced wool suite and stare the cold wave in the face when it comes. Woodward & Womble.

Washingtin avenue.

14—John Hayes, Groceries, 4418 La-fayette avenue.

2602 Washington avenue.

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Accurate Bicycle Repairing, cheapest at Kipper's 37th street.

Ceremonies at Zion, The OSPANISH

Other Than Municipal, Will Uncle Sam Honor.

BALANCE DUE, SMALL

came, the purport of which was not known until this morning, when eight large double teams and about 200 men, including saltors and marines work transferring powder, amountion and small arms of every disciption from the magazines to the dock yard to the distributing shed, and thence to the several warships in port. The work continued all day.

NO YELLOW JACK THERE.
SANTIAGO DE CUBA. Nov. 1—General Leonard Wood, governor of temilitary department of Santiago, authorizes the statement that there has not been a case of yellow fever in Santiago city during the last sixty days.

WAR SHIPS SAIL FOR NORFOLK.

(By Telegraph.)

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1—The Nashville has sailed from Port Royal for
Norfolk. The Montgomery and the
Princeton have sailed from Charleston
for Norfolk.

WEATHER FORECAST,
WASHINGTON, Nov.1—Porecast for
Wednesday: Virginia—partly cloudy;
warmer, brisk to high—southwesterly
winds.

To the Children Lorge and Sn To the Children large and Small.
This is to notify you that I have rented the store next to Adams' Racket Store on Washington avenue for your special benefit, and on December 1st, will be on hand with the grandest lot of toys this city has ever seen. No-body will have to go or send elsewhere for Xmas presents this year. Wait and see.

SANTA CLAUS.

Dr. N. Jackson, homeopathist, has located at No. 123 Twenty-finth street, and offers his services to the public of Newport News. Phore 99, se 29-1m.

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